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केन्द्र-शासित प्रदेश लद्दाख प्रशासन
ADMINISTRATION OF UNION TERRITORY OF LADAKH

DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM & CULTURE
NOTIFICATION

Ladakh, the 11 July,2025

S.O.85_ In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, read with the Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi Notification No. S.O 5088(E) dated 1st November,2022 and in supersession of all earlier notifications on the subject matter, the Lieutenant Governor (Administrator) of Union territory of Ladakh, hereby makes the following rules regulating the method of recruitment to the post of **Curator** in the Ladakh Archives, Archaeology and Museum : -

1. **Short title and commencement: -**
    a. These rules may be called the Ladakh Administration Curator in the Ladakh Archives, Archaeology and Museum Department Recruitment Rules,2025
    b. These rules shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
2. **Number of posts, classification and Level in the Pay Matrix: -**

The number of said posts, its classification and Level in the Pay Matrix attached thereto shall be as specified in paras 2,3 & 4 of the Schedule annexed hereto.

3. **Method of recruitment, age limit, qualifications: -**

The method of recruitment, age limit, qualifications, and other matters relating to said posts shall be as specified in paras 5 to 13 of the Schedule annexed hereto.

4. **Provision for Resident Criteria for appointment by direct recruitment:**

The eligibility for appointment will be subject to residency requirements prescribed in any Act, Rule, Regulation or Order in force in the Union territory of Ladakh.

5. **Disqualification: -**

No person,

a. who has entered into or contracted a marriage with a person having a spouse living;

OR

b. who, having a spouse living has entered into or contracted a marriage with any person(s) shall be eligible for appointment to the said post;

Provided that the Lieutenant Governor (Administrator) of Ladakh may, if satisfied that such marriage is permissible under the personal law, applicable to such person(s) and the other party to the marriage or there are other grounds for so doing, exempt any person from the operation of these rules.

6. **Power to relax: -**

Where the Lieutenant Governor (Administrator) is of the opinion that, it is necessary or expedient to do so, he may, by order for reasons to be recorded in writing and in consultation with UPSC, relax any of the provisions of these rules with respect to any class or category of persons.

7. **Savings: -**

Nothing in these rules shall affect reservations, relaxation in age-limit, and other concessions required to be provided for the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, and other special categories in accordance with the Rules, Instructions or Orders issued by the Administration of Union territory of Ladakh.

By order and in the name of the Lieutenant Governor.

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SCHEDULE

CURATOR

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<tr><td>1</td><td>Name of Post.</td><td>Curator</td></tr>
<tr><td>2</td><td>No. of Posts.</td><td>1 (2024) *
Subject to variation dependent on workload.</td></tr>
<tr><td>3</td><td>Classification.</td><td>General Central Service Non-Ministerial Gazetted, Group “B”</td></tr>
<tr><td>4</td><td>Scale of Pay.</td><td>Level- 6F (40800-129200 /-)</td></tr>
<tr><td>5</td><td>Whether Selection Post/ Non-Selection Post.</td><td>Selection</td></tr>
<tr><td>6</td><td>Age Limits for Direct Recruits.</td><td>Not Applicable</td></tr>
<tr><td>7</td><td>Educational Qualification.</td><td>Not Applicable</td></tr>
<tr><td>8</td><td>Whether age & educational qualification prescribed for the Direct Recruitment will apply in the case of promotes.</td><td>Not Applicable</td></tr>
<tr><td>9</td><td>Period of probation, if any.</td><td>Not Applicable</td></tr>
<tr><td>10</td><td>Method of Recruitment.</td><td><table><tr><td>Method</td><td>Percentage</td></tr><tr><td>Promotion failing which by Deputation (Including Short Term Contract)</td><td>100</td></tr></table></td></tr>
<tr><td>11</td><td>In case of recruitment by promotion/ deputation /absorption, the grades from which promotion/ deputation /absorption to be made.</td><td>Promotion:
Documentation Assistant in Level-6 in the pay Matrix, Superintendent Archives in Level-6E in the pay Matrix, Surveyor in Level -6D in the pay Matrix, Museum Assistant in Level -6 in the pay Matrix, Surveyor- cum- Excavation Assistant in Level -6 in the pay Matrix with two (02) years regular service in the grade rendered after appointment thereto on a regular basis.

Note 1: The eligibility list for promotion shall be prepared with reference to the date of completion by the officers of the prescribed qualifying service in the respective grade/post.

Deputation (Including Short Term Contract):

Officers under Central government / State Governments / Union Territory Administrations / Universities / recognized research institutions / Autonomous /Statutory Organizations:

a. (i) Holding analogous posts on regular basis in the parent cadre/department; or</td></tr>
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<tr><td></td><td></td><td>(ii) with Six (06) years of regular in post in the level-5 in the pay Matrix or equivalent in the parent cadre/department; and

(iii) with ten (10) years of regular in post in the level-4 in the pay Matrix or equivalent in the parent cadre/department and

(b) Possessing the following educational qualifications and experience.

Essential: -
i. Master’s Degree in History or Anthropology or Archaeology, or Museum Studies from a recognized university or Institute.

ii. At least one year experience in the field of archives or archaeology or museology.

Desirable

Minimum one year diploma in Archives and record Management or Archaeology or Museology from a recognized university or institute.

Note 2: The departmental officers in the feeder category who are in direct line of promotion shall not be eligible for consideration for appointment on deputation. Similarly, deputationists shall not be eligible for consideration for appointment by promotion.

Note 3: Period of deputation including period of deputation in another ex-cadre post held immediately preceding this appointment in the same or some other organization/department of the Central Government shall ordinarily not to exceed three years. The maximum age limit for appointment by deputation shall be not exceeding 56 years as on the last date of receipt of applications.</td></tr>
<tr><td>12</td><td>Composition of Departmental Committee</td><td>Departmental Promotion Committee:<table><tr><td>1.</td><td>Administrative Secretary, Tourism and Culture Department, Ladakh.</td><td>Chairman</td></tr><tr><td>2.</td><td>Administrative Secretary, GAD</td><td>Member</td></tr><tr><td>3.</td><td>Administrative Secretary, Law Department, Ladakh</td><td>Member</td></tr></table>Departmental Promotion Committee:

1. NA (chairman)</td></tr>
<tr><td>13.</td><td>Circumstances in which UPSC to be Consulted in making recruitment</td><td>Consultation with UPSC is not necessary.</td></tr>
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